Is it not strange we two should stand together As once we stood in sorrow and in tears-Our barques all shattered with the stormy weather,. Now safely moored after so many years?

Is it not strange the full moon should be lending Her beams to light again the self-same spot Where once we stood in ecstasy transcending, And breathed the vows that neither hath forgot?

Is it not strange that, parted by an ocean, And long, long years of bitter wrong and pain, Both, guided by a wonderful devotion, Should meet within each other's arms again?

Is it not strange to feel the new sensation Of heart to heart and lip to lip once more, Remembering the icy desolation That chilled us when we parted here before?

Is it not strange that we, so long divided, Together shall grow gray beside one hearth-Together through the evening shades be guided, And laid together in one spot of earth?

### Webster Matched by a Woman.

In the somewhat famous case of Mrs. Bodgen's will which was tried in the Sapreme Court some years ago, Mr. Webster appeared as counsellor for the appellent. Mrs. Greenough, wife of Rev. Wm. Greenough, late of West Newton, a tall, straight. queenly looking woman with a keen black eye-a woman of great self-possession and and is therefore liable to no great disaster like theChi decision of character, was called to the stand as a witness on the opposite side from Mr. Webster. Webster, at a glance had \* the sagacity to foresee that her testimony, and jury ; he therefore resolved, if possible, for three months next preceding the to break her up. And when she answered want to have what you believe; we want to hear what you know." Mrs. Greenough replied, "That is just what I was about to say, sir," and went on with her People's Savings Institution. testimony.

And notwithstanding his repeated efforts to disconcert her, she pursued the even tenor of her way, until Webster, becoming quite fearful of the result, arose apparently in great agitation, and drawing out his large snuff-box thrust his thumb road depot, and continues to pay interest on deposits at and finger to the very bottom, and carry- the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum. It being an ing the deep pinch to both nostrils, drew it nup town" institution, it is largely patronized by "up his pocket a very large handkerchief, which by. Patronage solicited. flowed to his feet as he brought it to the front, he blew his nose with a report that rang distinct and loud through the crowded hall. Webster- 'Mrs. Greenough, was Mrs. Bogden a neat woman?'

Mrs. Greenough-" I cannot give you very full information as to that sir; she had one very dirty trick."

Webster-" What's that, madam?" Mrs. Greenough-"She took snuff." The roar of the court-house was such that the future defender of the Constitution subsided, and neither rose nor spoke again until after Mrs. Greenough had vacated her

chair for another witness-having ample time to reflect on the inglorious history of the man who had a stone thrown on his head BUILDERS' HARDWARE, TIN AND WOODEN WARE, by a woman.

## The Bloom of Age.

may pass over her head, but if benevolence and virtue dwell in her heart, she is as cheerful as when the spring of life first opened to her view. When we look upon a good WEN & HURLBUT, woman, we never think of her age; she looks as charming as when the rose of youth first bloomed on her cheek. That rose has Jacobus Building, Opposite Pres. Church not faded yet; it will never fade. In her neighborhood, she is the friend and benefactor. In the church, the devout wershipper and the exemplary Christain. Who C. does not respect and love the woman who has passed her days in acts of kindness and mercy-who has been the friend of man and God-whose whole life has been a scene of kindness and love, a devotion to truth and religion? We repeat, such a woman cannot grow old. She will always be fresh and buoyant in spirits, and active in humble deeds of 1873. mercy and benevolence. If the young lady desires to retain the bloom and beauty of youth, let her not yield to the sway of fashion and folly; let her love truth and virtue and to the close of life she will retain those feelings which now make life appear a garden ever fresh and ever new.

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